United States Department of State



Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed amendment to a manufacturing license agreement for the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services in the amount of \$100,000,000 or more.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the export of defense articles, including technical data, and defense services to The Netherlands for the manufacture of Improved Extended Forward Avionics Bays for the AH-64D Apache Helicopter for end use by the United States Government.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights, and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

David S. Adams Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

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The Honorable

John A. Boehner.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.